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To: Members of the staff

From: The Assistant Secretary-General for Central Support Services

Subject: 48th STREET CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

On Monday, 2 March 1998, the New York State Department of Transportation will begin an eight-month project to demolish and rebuild the elevated on-ramp to the FDR Drive. This ramp is located along the 48th Street property line of the United Nations. The project will have an impact on the flow of all vehicular traffic into and out of the United Nations garage.

There will be no parking of any kind on 48th Street and only one lane of traffic will be open to the garage. In addition, there will be short delays during the peak hours of operation, and traffic on adjacent streets may be redirected. For the duration of the project, the entrance on 48th Street will be used as an entrance only. All traffic will exit the garage via 42nd Street. The hours of operation will be from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Friday.

On weekends, 48th Street will be closed to traffic, along with both the entrance and exit. All vehicular access to and from the garage will be through the vehicle gate at First Avenue and 43rd Street. Weekend truck deliveries must be scheduled in advance through the Security Coordinator in the Office of the Chief, Security and Safety Service (963-7028 or 963-9473).

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